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X 16 Pages of Patent Specification including an Abstract

X 8 Pages of Claims

X 8 Sheet(s) of drawings.      Informal X Formal

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